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**Title:** System And Method For  
Implementing A Routing  
Scheme In A Computer  
Network Using Intention  
Packets When Fault  
Conditions Are Detected

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF  
NOVEMBER 13, 2003**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of November 13, 2003, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.

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